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July 30, 2005

Brandis L. Zehr
Campaign Finance Analyst
Federal Election Commission
Washington, D.C. 20463

Reference: Amended March Monthly Report (2/1/05 - 2/28/05)

Dear Ms. Zehr:

In response to your letter dated July 1, 2005 regarding the above referenced report, please find below the information for each item you have requested.

The committee reported \$2,747.20 as received for voter list rental on Schedule A supporting Line 15 of the above referenced report. This amount was for names and addresses from our Arkansas voter file at three cents per name. This is the committee's usual and normal charge for anyone who wishes to receive this list. The committee has surveyed various direct mail firms and their charges for comparable lists would be in the range of approximately one cent per name to as much as approximately twelve cents per name depending on the list. Based on this survey the committee has determined that three cents per name is a reasonable charge for its list in the current market place and therefore satisfies the normal and usual charge requirement under the FEC regulations at 11 CFR Section 100.52 (d) (1). There would be no in-kind contribution since our charge is a reasonable value and is the same for everyone.

Your letter also inquires into the payments our committee made for salaries and payroll taxes utilizing both federal and non-federal funds. Our committee has no employees who spend more than 25% of their compensated time in a given month on Federal election activity or activities in connection with a Federal election. Therefore none of these payments are required to be disclosed on Schedule B for Line 30(b). The payments have been properly disclosed on Schedule B Line 21(b).

The payment of \$5,000.00 to C. Dale Stuart, Jr. was for accounting services. Mr. Stuart is a self-employed Certified Public Accountant and is not an employee of the committee. His firm provides accounting and tax services to the committee.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please let us know. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.